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PATENT APPLICATION

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Docket No: Q55778

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Appln. No.: 09/401,293

Group Art Unit: 2186

Confirmation No.: 4480

Examiner: M. Anderson

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For: MICROCOMPUTER PROVIDED WITH FLASH MEMORY AND METHOD OF
STORING PROGRAM INTO FLASH MEMORY

PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. § 1.136

Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.136, Applicant hereby petitions for an extension of time of one month,
extending the time for responding to the Office Action of August 23, 2002 to December 23, 2002.

A check for the statutory fee of \$110.00 is attached. The USPTO is directed and authorized to
charge all required fees, except for the Issue Fee and the Publication Fee, to Deposit Account No.
19-4880. Please also credit any overpayments to said Deposit Account. A duplicate copy of this sheet is
enclosed.

Respectfully submitted,

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